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Filed: June 8, 2001 ) Examiner:  
For: A METHOD FOR DETECTING )  
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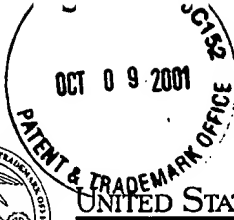
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